

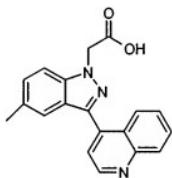
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 Title : 1-ACETIC ACID-INDOLE, -INDAZOLE AND -BENZIMIDAZOLE
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to a Restriction Requirement having a notification date of July 6, 2010 ("the RR"), Applicants elect "Group I, the instances wherein Y is N, A, B, D, E, and X are C, R³ is quinoline and no additional heterocycle is present" (RR, page 2). Commensurate with the election of said Group, Applicants elect, for search purposes only, the species compound, 5-methyl-3-(4-quinolinyl)-1*H*-indazole-1-acetic acid (see, e.g., specification page 22, lines 1-3; i.e., the compound of Example 1). For purposes of clarification, the chemical structure of the elected compound is provided below:



The elected group is readable on claims 1, 2, 5, 6 (in part), 7, 8, and 9. The elected species is readable on claims 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 14, and 15. The elections are made without traverse.

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